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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

ERIC DUBOIS, ET AL. :

SERIAL NO.: 10/550,176 :

FILED: 9/21/05 :

FOR: MULTILAYER PLASTIC FUEL TANK :
AND PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING :
SUCH A TANK :

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SUBMISSION OF MISSING PARTS

Sir:

Submitted herewith is an original declaration and power of attorney executed by the inventors for the above referenced case. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 03-2775 for the \$130.00 surcharge fee which should accompany the filing of the original declaration and power of attorney.

If there are any further fees for submitting the attached please charge Deposit Account No. 03-2775.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/21/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/21/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 09/21/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 09/21/2005
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 09/21/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/21/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 09/21/2005
- Specification filed on 09/21/2005
- Claims filed on 09/21/2005
- Abstracts filed on 09/21/2005
- Drawings filed on 09/21/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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